

Wife Refuses To Appear in Beating Case

Charges against Howard Weber, who allegedly beat his wife, Geneva, 24, over the head with a broken wine bottle on Aug. 1, were reduced to disturb-

diebrook Rd. She was treated at Harbor General Hospital for cuts and bruises. Weber reportedly told officers that his wife frequently beat him, and said "I guess the altercation, which occurred at the couple's home, 2074 Mid-

Packard Firm Is Veteran Builder

Constructing buildings like the Halverson-Leavell Mortuary is nothing new to the Packard Construction Co., a firm which has been in operation since 1933.

The firm is headed by Shirley Packard, a veteran of more than 20 years in the construction business. Coming to California from Canada in 1933, he founded his own business in 1938. Offices of the firm are now located at 2230 Corinth Ave., West Los Angeles. Pack-

ard is married and the father of three children. Throughout the years, the Packard Co. has done all types of construction work and general contracting, with considerable experience in constructing public buildings. Packard's share of the work on the mortuary here amounted to more than \$80,000.

Some of the more recent buildings constructed by Packard, include Hawthorne High School, Wilmington Elementary School in Hawthorne, Abraham Lincoln Elementary School in Burbank, Topanga Elementary School, Anza Maintenance Building for the Los Angeles School Board, the Viking Building in Beverly Hills, and the California Auditorium in Porterville.



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13TH RABID DOG BITES 13 PEOPLE

Thirteen was really an unlucky number for 13 persons in the Torrance Health District who are undergoing Pasteur treatments this week as the result of coming in contact with the 13th rabid dog found in this area in 1955.

A small tan mixed terrier died Saturday of furious rabies, but before it had come in contact with 13 persons who live near the home of its owner, M. Pettijon, of 1204 Wendy Way, Manhattan Beach.

Quarantined on Aug. 2, the dog died Saturday, and was definitely diagnosed as rabid.

Two former Torrance residents who were the objects of a nationwide search recently—Mrs. Mary Liberatore and her daughter, Caroline—have completed the series of Pasteur treatments in Morgantown, W. Va., health officials were informed.

Mrs. Carol Wilbrecht, of 1215 Fonthill, entertained some of her friends Wednesday night at a bridge party. Always a gracious hostess, Mrs. Wilbrecht served a lime-lemonade frosted punch while her guests played two tables of bridge, and later served cream puffs and steaming coffee.

Those attending were Aylene Lippold, Sel Prout, Ethel Sears, Shirley Wilson, Bonnie McCoy, Jean Sears and Alice Perkin.

Many of our neighbors attended the ACCENT Theatre farefare party held at the Jamaica Inn in honor of Mrs. Jack Norris. Mrs. Norris and her children, Melinda, Melissa and Paul Mark, left for Paris, France, last Sunday night.

Seated around the picturesque fireplace in a room overlooking the surf, Anna's friends sipped cocktails, chatted and wished her a good trip.

Attending from our area were Messrs. and Mmes. Paul Harestad, Lou Dyer, William Boswell, Frank Kelly, Allen Pyeatt, Kenneth Perkin and James Wood.

Home from a three-week trip to Kenosha, Wis., are the Don Bryants, of 2801 Onrado. Leaving the last part of July the family visited both their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bryant and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Engbert.

For one week of the vacation the Bryants and their 7-year-old daughter, Barbara, were entertained by their brother-in-law on board his cabin cruiser on Lake Michigan. On the trip back from Wisconsin they visited at Springfield, Mo.

Mrs. Joseph M. Campazzie, of 2763 Sonoma, was entertained at a luncheon held at the home of Mrs. Robert Nielsen in the Jamaica Inn.

Dr. Nielsen is president of the newly-founded Riviera Rotary Club and he and the group plan to hold a dinner party soon. Since the club members' wives had never met, Mrs. Nielsen held the luncheon to acquaint them before the evening

Bridge Club Takes Imaginary Trip to Hawaii at Big Party

By ALICE PERKIN FA 83265 The Tall-H Bridge Club met last week at the home of Alice Thames in Rolling Hills.

Mrs. Thames carried out a Hawaiian theme by first presenting each guest with a colored lei and then serving dessert on her lanai. The table was decorated in true tropical fashion with Hawaiian figures, grass mats, and a centerpiece of frosted watermelon, scooped out and filled with honeydew, cantaloupe, and watermelon balls.

Those enjoying the delightful evening were Mrs. Jack Klinzing, of 2829 Onrado; Mrs. Aileen Capps, of 2850 Eldorado; and Mrs. Kenneth Perkin, of 2830 Eldorado.

Winning a special prize and a first prize at the Doll Show, an annual event for girls sponsored by the Recreation Department, were Stephanie and Andrea Nohr, of 2818 Eldorado.

The show was a local one held at the Fernwood playground. Later, the same organization held a Mother-Daughter tea at the Civic Auditorium, where the girls won three place ribbons in their categories — for the smallest and best-displayed dolls. There was also a fashion show that day.

Walking off with eight ribbons that day were the Joseph M. Campazzie family, of 2763 Sonoma, Wayne, 7; Lynette, 6; and Janis, 5, all their share to win the awards.

Mrs. Bryant pointed out that these qualities are especially important to PTA members. This next meeting will be a dinner meeting and those who may need transportation can call FA 8-58870.

I. M. Savage, of 905 Fonthill, and his son, Lee, 12, joined J. W. Potts on a fishing trip up the Kern River, leaving Saturday at four in the morning and coming back Sunday night.

Toy wooden soldiers marched across David Striebeck's birthday cake last Saturday as he and his friends celebrated his fourth birthday.

Along with the cake Mrs. Thomas D. Striebeck, of 28 Onrado served chocolate, ice cream, lemonade, and candy cups filled with favors. Each of the guests received a paper badge and when they won at any of the relay games they received a golden star.

Spending a week end at the Manning Hotel in San Diego, as the guests of the Eggelstons were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Capps and daughters, Melinda and Stephanie. Besides swimming and relaxing the two parties enjoyed dining at the Florence Chadwick restaurant.

Twice a month, on Wednesdays, the Knit Club meets for regular business, but this Wednesday they topped off their meeting with a patio party at the Stan Ryans of Lakewood.

Have you ever been in a nightclub aboard a ship? Well, the lucky guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Borougnis, of 2938 Opal thought they were last Saturday night.

Later, under indirect lighting, they were treated to a midnight buffet served atop red-checked tablecloths complete with drip-candles.

The menu included miniature tacos, baker beans, pinwheel sandwiches, tossed salad, assorted cheeses, a lazy susan, spinning with tasty relishes and for dessert — a scooped out melon filled with watermelon balls.

Those attending the never-be-forgotten affair included Messrs. and Mmes. Lou Dyer, Harold McGuffin, Roland Petrat, William Edstrom, Ralph Schmidt, Hugh Brady, William Crooker, Phil Paten, C. H. Hardinghouse, and Ed Cantla.

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PILGRIMAGE PLAY... Robert Wilson will play the role of Jesus in the 25th anniversary production of the Pilgrimage Play to be presented at the Pilgrimage Theatre in Hollywood starting Monday. A cast of 80 is featured in the production, which has drawn over a million persons since 1920.